



The Rt Hon Priti Patel MP
House of Commons
London SW1A 0AA
Great Britain

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Free Julian Assange

Dear Priti Patel.

We, members of the Norwegian Parliament, are deeply concerned for the consequences an extradition of Julian Assange will have for press freedom worldwide. The indictment of 175 years of imprisonment for exposing war crimes conducted by the US is a worrisome and threatening message to whistleblowers and journalists across the world, and is warned against by Amnesty International and PEN International amongst others.

The decision you are about to make on behalf of the British government is of outmost importance not only to your country, but also to Europe and the rest of the world. Please take into consideration that Mr. Assange will be the first publicist in history to be prosecuted under the controversial U.S. Espionage Act. We sincerely urge you to find a way to avoid handing Julian Assange over to those responsible for the crimes he is indicted for having exposed.

Respectfully,

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